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PATENT APPLICATION  
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 3743  
ALBERT BAUER )  
Serial No.: 08/998,507 ) Examiner: JOHN FORD  
Filed: December 26, 1997 )  
For: AIR CONDITIONING )  
APPARATUS )

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## RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office action mailed June 13, 2000, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks to be entered into the patent application identified above and earnestly requests that the Examiner pass this application to allowance.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

33. (Amended) An air-conditioning apparatus for controlling condition in at least one room to a predetermined desired condition by ventilation with heated or cooled supply air, comprising: